

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of : )  
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HORA et al. )  
 ) Group Art Unit: To Be Assigned  
Serial No.: 09/705,812 )  
 ) Examiner: To Be Assigned  
Filed: November 6, 2000 )

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR AUTOMATED DATABASE ASSISTANCE TO  
FINANCIAL SERVICE OPERATORS

**REQUEST FOR PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME,  
RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS AND  
ASSIGNMENT FOR RECORDATION**

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

**REQUEST FOR PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)**

Applicant respectfully petitions the Assistant Commissioner for Patents for a two-month extension of time to respond to the Notice To File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated January 24, 2001.

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS**

Responsive to the attached U.S. Patent and Trademark Office "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application" mailed January 24, 2001. Applicant submits herewith an executed Joint Declaration for filing in the cited patent application, along with the required fee for late filing of the Declaration. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that a filing date of November 6, 2000 be granted to this application.

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**ASSIGNMENT FOR RECORDATION**

Also enclosed is an executed Assignment document and Assignment Recordation cover sheet. The Assignment Recordation fee is included in the attached check.

**FEES**

Submitted herewith is a check totaling \$560.00 (\$130.00 to cover the surcharge for late filing of the Declaration; \$390.00 to cover the fee for the two-month Extension of Time, and \$40.00 to cover the filing fee for the Assignment Recordation). Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 50-0206.

Respectfully submitted,

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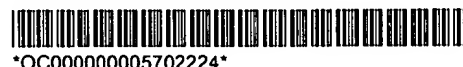
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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